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SUBJ: MEETING OF PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF UN CONFERENCE ON SCIENCE
AND TECHNOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT

REF: STATE 5934

1. WADIE HABASHI, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH, IS THE SUDAN'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE PREPARATORY COMMITTEE MEETING. HABAFPI HAS BEEN IN WEST BERLIN ATTENDING SEMINAR IN CONNECTION WITH SUBJECT CONFERENCE, AND FORMIN OFFICIAL WAS RELUCTANT TO OFFER SUBSTANTIVE COMMENTS IN HIS ABSENCE.

2. REGARDING NATIONAL PAPER, FORMIN OFFICIAL CONFIRMED THAT SUDAN WILL SUBMIT PAPER. WE UNDERSTAND THAT COMMITTEE HAS BEEN FORMED FOR THIS PURPOSE. HABASHI WILL DIRECT THE COMMITTEE'S WORK WHEN HE RETURNS FROM GENEVA. FORMIN OFFICIAL COULD NOT INDICATE IF SUDAN WOULD MAKE MAY 1 DEADLINE.

3. OUR PRESENTATION ON SUBJECT AREAS FOR 1979 CONFERENCE
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AGENDA WAS WELL RECEIVED, WITH FORMIN OFFICIAL AGREEING WITH IMPORTANCE OF FOCUSING ATTENTION ON ITEMS A AND B IN PARA 2A OF REFTTEL. REGARDING ITEM B, TECHNOLOGY CAPABILITIES, OFFICIAL STATED THAT THE SUDAN REALIZES THAT THE TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY ITSELF IS NOT POSSIBLE AND THEY WOULD WELCOME ANY EFFORTS TO IMPROVE THEIR OWN S AND T CAPABILITY.

4. COMMENT: THE SUDAN GENERALLY HAS A MODERATE POSTURE
ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER QUESTIONS AND UNCSTD ISSUES,
BUT WE DO NOT EXPECT THEM TO PLAY A LEADING ROLE IN
EITHER THE AFRICAN REGIONAL CAUCUS OR THE PREP COM
ITSELF. BERGUS

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